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SUBJ: WELFARE AND WHEREABOUTS OF EDGARDO ENRIQUEZ

ARGENTINA PROJECT (S200000044)
U.S. DEPT. OF STATE, A/RPS/IPS
Margaret P. Grafeld, Director
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1. EDGARDO ENRIQUEZ ESPINOZA IS--OR WAS--A WELL KNOWN
LEADER OF THE CHILEAN MIR (MOVEMENT OF REVOLUTIONARY
LEFT--AN EXTREMIST ORGANIZATION). HE GOT OUT OF CHILE EARLY
AFTER THE COUP AND RETURNED TO ARGENTINA LAST YEAR, WHERE HE WAS
CAPTURED.

2. ENRIQUEZ'S CASE WAS A CAUSE CELEBRE FOR AWHILE,
SINCE THE OPPONENTS OF THE CHILEAN REGIME CHARGED THAT
HE HAD BEEN RETURNED HERE FROM ARGENTINA AND SUBMITTED
TO TORTURE. WE ARE AWARE OF NO HARD EVIDENCE TO THAT
EFFECT AND DO NOT KNOW WHAT HAPPENDED TO ENRIQUEZ AFTER
HIS CAPTURE.

3. REFTELS WILL BE OF INTEREST, AND THE DEPARTMENT
PROBABLY HAS OTHER DATA ON ENRIQUEZ IN ITS CENTRAL
FILES. ROBERT ZIMMERMAN, DIRECTOR ARA/LA MAY ALSO
HAVE FURTHER INFORMATION.

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4. CONGRESSMAN WIRTH AND MCCLOSKEY INTERESTED.

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